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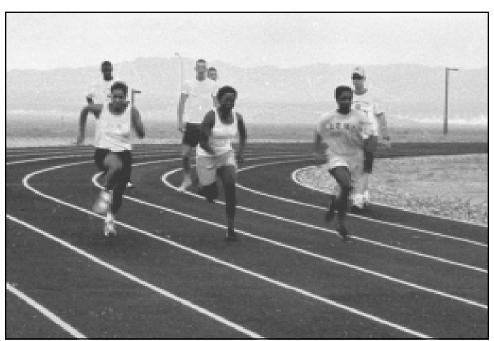
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Fun Fest ... buy ride tickets now and save.



Capt. Vincent Chambers, commander, 18th Military Police Detachment, falls prey to the dunk tank's downside. People were drawn in droves to the MP's dunk tank making it one of the most popular attractions during the U.S. Army Intelligence Center and Fort Huachcua Organization Day Friday. For more on the event, see Page B2.

# Post takes a day to relax

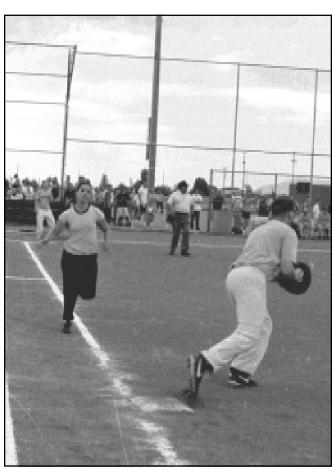


Above: D/309th took the female 100-meter dash which opened the track events for the day. Far Right: Bethany Carson, 9, daughter of John Carson, A/304th, gets a face painting from Joyce Patterson. Bottom Right: Angela M. Duckwiler, wife of Austin Spc. Duckwiler, Office of the Staff Judge Advocate here, helps Alanah M. Brown, daughter of Cpl. Colin Brown, OSJA, into the Fun Castle. Bottom: Soldiers render honors to the colors. opening the day. Right: Softball also helped open the day. B/ 304th took top spot in the ballgame.

(Photos by Sgt. Cullen

James.)

Clockwise from above:



## Org. day offers food, fun, togetherness

By Sgt. Cullen James Scout Staff

"Good morning! Are you ready to have

Hundreds of soldiers belonging to the U.S. Army Intelligence Center were welcomed by Brig. Gen. Richard J. Quirk, deputy commanding general, USAIC and Fort Huachuca, to post Organizational Day.

"It's a great day to be here," Quirk said. "Your number one mission today is to have a good time."

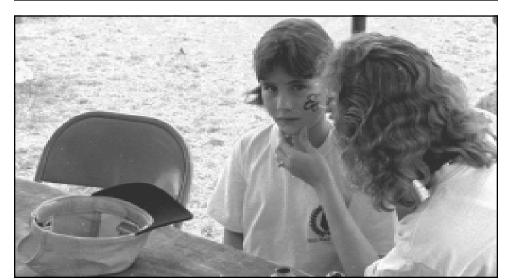
Helping out in having fun, twenty events were scheduled from Commander's Cup to just-for-fun; also food booths, child activities and other attractions were on site.

"You don't have to do anything today but enjoy each other's company," Quirk said. "Now remember your primary mission and have fun."

The Organizational Day sporting events included 10 events which closed this year's Commander's Cup competition. This year's Commander's Cup champion is Company D, 309<sup>th</sup> Military Intelligence Battalion with Company A, 304<sup>th</sup> MI Bn. at second and Company E, 309<sup>th</sup> MI Bn. at third.

### Here's the breakdown of events by winner (Commander's Cup, Organizational day, and fun):

2. HHC, 111th	1. B/309 <sup>th</sup>	2. B/304 <sup>th</sup>	3. A/304 <sup>th</sup>	Females:
3. E/305 <sup>th</sup>	2. A/306th	3. E/305 <sup>th</sup>	Females:	1. D/309th
Tug of War	3. A/305 <sup>th</sup>	Racquetball	1. D/309 <sup>th</sup>	2. D/309th
1. C/309 <sup>th</sup>	Organizational Day	1. A/304 <sup>th</sup>	2. A/305th	3. A/304 <sup>th</sup>
2. D/309th	events:	2. A/304th	3. HHC, 111th	Two-mile run
3. E/309 <sup>th</sup>	Softball	3. E/305 <sup>th</sup>	400-meter dash	Males:
Vehicle Backup	1. B/304 <sup>th</sup>	Bench Press	Males:	1. A/306 <sup>th</sup>
1. HHC, 111 <sup>th</sup>	2. D/309th	Males:	1. E/309 <sup>th</sup>	2. A/304th
2. A/304th	3. HHC, 111th	1. C/305 <sup>th</sup>	2. A/305th	3. A/305 <sup>th</sup>
3. NCOA	Volleyball	2. D/309th	3. D/309th	Females:
M-16 Breakdown	1. C/305 <sup>th</sup>	3. C/309th	Females:	1. D/309 <sup>th</sup>
1. E/309 <sup>th</sup>	2. A/304 <sup>th</sup>	Females:	1. A/309 <sup>th</sup>	2. B/309th
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3. A/304th	Basketball	2. NCOA	3. D/309th	Fun Events:
<b>Obstacle Course</b>	1. A/306 <sup>th</sup>	3. A/305 <sup>th</sup>	800-meter run	<b>Golf Tournament</b>
1. A/304 <sup>th</sup>	2. C/305 <sup>th</sup>	100-meter dash	Males:	1. A/306 <sup>th</sup>
2. B/309th	3. C/309th	Males:	1. D/309 <sup>th</sup>	2. E/305 <sup>th</sup>
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By Rory Aikens

Arizona Game and Fish Department

Rory's Topwater Tip: Morning topwater action at Lake Pleasant started to pick up before the full moon, and should get going good again during the waning moon. Try off major islands, reefs and points in the main lake.

#### **SOUTHERN WATERS**

TUCSON URBAN - The urban lakes were stocked the week of July 12 with channel catfish; that was the last stocking for all urban lakes until mid-September. Due to very low oxygen levels, Lakeside has experienced an almost total fish kill. Anglers are reporting very slow fishing at Silverbell and Kennedy, but are still catching some bass, catfish and sunfish. Buy a two-pole stamp and try different baits to double your chances. Those anglers showing patience are taking home fish.

RIGGS FLAT - Due to high pH, Riggs has not been stocked since mid-May and is not scheduled to be restocked until mid-September depending on water quality. Check with the Forest Service, Safford Ranger District, for camping and fire restrictions at (520) 428-4150.

CLUFF RANCH - Slow for warm water species, although some crappie and bass are being caught. For lake information call (520) 485-9430.

ROPER LAKE - Slow for bass, and catfish. For largemouth bass try fishing jigs along the breaks and outside edges of the cattails. Good for sunfish; use worms in shady areas. For lake information call (520) 428-6760.

DANKWORTH POND - Poor for all species. For lake information call (520) 428-6760.

ARIVACA - The oxygen level is not stable and the lake is experiencing some fish kills. Surveys show fair numbers of small bass, but almost no fish exceeding 12 inches. No other fish stockings are planned until September or October when water quality stabilizes. Due to elevated mercury readings in the warm water species, (bass, sunfish and catfish) it is recommended that these fish not be eaten until further notice. Catch and release should be practiced.

PENA BLANCA - The boat ramp at Pena Blanca Lake has been repaired and is operational. Fishing is fair to good for bass, best fishing at night. Recent surveys show a healthy bass population with good numbers of fish in the 15 to 18-inch range. Use artificial worms in rocky areas where the aquatic vegetation is less dense for largemouth bass. The weeds have been cut, so fishing access has improved. Due to elevated mercury readings in the warm

water species (bass, sunfish, crappie and catfish), it is recommended that these fish not be eaten until further notice. Catchand-release should be practiced. For lake information call (520) 281-2296.

PATAGONIA -Fishing is fair to good for warm water species; bass, sunfish and catfish. Best fishing is early morning, late evening and at night. Recent surveys show excellent populations of bass and sunfish. Try artificial crayfish or worms close to the shore at breaks in the cattails. Try worms in shady areas for large bluegill and redear sunfish. Crappie fishing is fair. Channel catfish are biting on worms,

hotdogs or stink bait. For lake information call (520) 287-6063.

PARKER CANYON - Fishing is fair for warm water species (bass, catfish and sunfish). Try artificial worms or night crawlers. Lots of small northern pike in the 12 to 15 inch range are being caught. Try flies, corn, worms, and Power Bait, crankbaits and spinner baits. The limit is six northern pike. Anglers are encouraged to try to catch this illegally introduced species. The water level is rising; boat launch-



ing is not a problem. For lake information call (520) 455-5847.

PICACHO RESERVOIR - Has experienced a fish kill.

ROSE CANYON LAKE - Was last stocked with rainbow trout late May. Stocking has been suspended due to high water temperatures. Trout fishing has been poor. Is not scheduled to be restocked until mid-September depending on water conditions. For lake and camping information call (520) 749-8700.

### Friends of Library host handgun safety program

City of Sierra Vista release

Today at 6:30 p.m. the Friends of the Library will host a one-hour program on gun safety.

The Citizens Addressing Responsible Gun Ownership program is sponsored by the Pima County Attorney's Office and is free to the public. The program is directed to parents and grandparents, whether their children are preschoolers, teenagers or anywhere in between.

This program is divided into three sections. The first section is presented by a firearms instructor who will explain the dangers of guns and dis-

cuss the ways in which firearms need to be secured to be

The second portion of the programs will be presented by trauma surgeon Dr. Lamm, who is with the Arizona Family Care Associates in Sierra Vista. Lamm will show attendees what short-term and long-term devastation can occur to a person who is shot. Photographs of gunshot injuries are used in the presentation.

The last portion is directed to parents and children and how they can keep themselves out of situations where an unsecured gun may be present.

The public is asked not to bring their guns, however, gunlocks will be given to attendees. For more information, call the Sierra Vista Public Library at 458-4225.

Pvt. Murphy's Law



## Scat Screencom

By Sgt. Cullen James Scout Staff

New to rental shelves:

#### **BOILER ROOM**

New Line Cinema (Directed by: Ben Younger; Starring: Giovanni Ribisi, Ben Affleck, Vin Diesel, Tom Everett Scott, Nicky Katt, Don Rifkin, Nia Long, Scott Caan.)

Rated R: Strong language and some drug use.

**Family Factor:** Subject matter definitely aimed at adults.

Giovanni Ribisi is definitely coming into his own as an actor. In this film he exhibits tremendous depth of character portraying a good intentioned yet mislead young man. His performance alone is worth the rental of this film.

Ribisi stars as Seth Davis, a twenty-something who's looking for the quick road to success. He's a college dropout, but earns a decent living running an illegal casino out of his New York City apartment.

His father, a federal judge, finds out and pleads for him to stop. The Davis' son and father have a strained relationship, which is well characterized by both actors.

After catching flak about the casino, Davis is visited by an old friend and his friend's boss who wants to get some gambling action. Davis peeks out the door as he lets them in and sees that they were driving a Ferrari — his dream car. He finds out that his friend is training to be a stockbroker and his boss is a senior trader at the company.

During the evening, they talk and convince Davis to come out and join their or-



Photos copyright New Line Cinem

Vin Diesel, left, and Giovanni Ribisi sit in the boiler room of J.T. Marlin in the film "Boiler Room."

ganization. He and several others are group "interviewed" by Jim Young (Ben Affleck) who doesn't tout the work as much as he recruits with the tempting, "You will be a millionaire within three years working here."

All the traders there worship the films "Glengarry Glen Ross" and "Wall Street" and work to emulate the characters and themes in the movies. Which, in effect, make them pretty rotten people.

The talk is fast, the rebuttals even quicker and slices of stock-market underworld are represented.

Enticed by quick cash, they start as glorified telemarketers, move up to junior traders and eventually become senior traders themselves. However, something seems awry at the company. How can they receive such a high commission off their sales? How can they promise such large returns — larger than any investment firm on Wall Street?

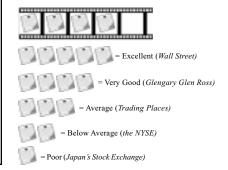
Davis begins to ask those questions and the answers he finds put him in a morale dilemma. Both internally and with his father.

Meanwhile, his newly formed relationship with company senior secretary Abbie Halpert (Nia Long) starts strong but becomes strained when FBI agents approach her.

Wonderfully acted, well shot and morally obtuse, this film is superb. It's less about the stock market and the underhanded dealings that can occur, as it is an introspective look at someone faced with such a dilemma.

Some critics cited the flick as derivative, and it is, but the filmmakers knew this. It was intentional. The film is a hard look at greed-driven generation "X-ers" who are enticed by fast money. I would say that presenting a large group of twenty-somethings who are emulating their favorite movies really isn't that far off the mark.

I give the movie: four stock certificates.



#### REINDEER GAMES

Dimension Films (Directed by: John Frankenheimer; Starring: Ben Affleck, Charlize Theron, Gary Sinise, Clarence Williams III, James Frain, Donal Logue, Danny Trejo, Isaac Hayes, Dana Stubblefield.)

Rated R: Strong violence, language and sexuality.

**Family Factor:** All of the above are far too graphic for younger viewers.

Two guys in prison. One guy has a girl on the outside — writing constantly for the past six months. Other guy has no one. Both are getting released in two days. Guy number one has the girl who'll be waiting for him when the gates open; guy number two just wants some hot chocolate. Guy number one dies in a prison brawl; guy number two is released the next day.

Gates open, girl is there, what's a guy number two to do?

That's the main set up of "Reindeer Games," an action-suspense film full of



Ribisi and Nia Long have a budding relationship, but will it all be ruined?

"holiday cheer."

When Rudy Duncan (Ben Affleck) first gets out the prison walls, he boards the bus and just wants to get home to his hot chocolate, pecan pie, and family. But just coming off a five-year stint in the pen has its downsides in the urges department.

He stops the bus, gets off and poses as Nick (who is earlier played by James Frain) to Nick's six-month pen pal Ashley (Charlize Theron).

They quickly make it too a local motel (of course) and begin talking and shopping and all the other new girlfriend/boyfriend things. Duncan wants to tell Ashley who he really is, you can see it in his eyes, but just can't work up the nerve.

Before he has the opportunity to get nervy, and before the movie gets too sappy, Rudy and Ashley enter their hotel room to four baddies — Gabriel (Gary Sinise, always a good baddie), Merlin (Clarence William III), Pug (Donal Logue), and Jumpy (Danny Trejo, who actually makes through an entire film without showing one of his tattoos).

We learn quickly that Gabriel is Ashley's brother, and is a truck driver and

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## Shwings

Today — ME, MYSELF AND IRENE - Jim Carrey, Rene Zellwegger - When he forgets to take his medications, Charlie, a Rhode Island state trooper with Multiple Personality Disorder finds himself fighting his alter ego. One personality is crazy and aggressive, while the other is more friendly and laid back. Both personalities fall in love with Irene. (Sexual content, crude humor, strong language and some violence). Rated R.

Friday Aug. 18, Sunday Aug. 20 (2 p.m. matinee), Wednesday Aug. 23 — CHICKEN RUN - Animated - At Tweedy's chicken farm, any chicken who doesn't make her quota can meet a "fowl" fate. But Ginger and her fellow flock are determined to break out before they can be fried, filleted or fricasseed. Trapped behind barbed wire, fearing for their very lives, Rocky, Ginger,

Bunty, Babs and Fowler hatch a desperate plan to fly the coop. Rated G.

Saturday Aug. 19, Sunday Aug. 20—THE PERFECT STORM - George Clooney, Mark Walhberg - Based on a true story, the film tells of the courageous men and women who risk their lives every working day, pitting their fishing boats and rescue vessels against the capricious forces of nature. Their worst fears are realized at sea one fateful autumn, when they are confronted by three raging weather fronts which collide to produce the greatest, fiercest and most destructive storm in modern history. (Language and scenes of peril.) Rated PG-13.

— Unless otherwise indicated, all shows start at 7 p.m. Ticket are \$3 for adults, \$1.50 for children. Wednesday, Thursday and all matinee shows are 99 cents.

— NOTICE: The Cochise Theatre is closed Mondays and Tuesdays.



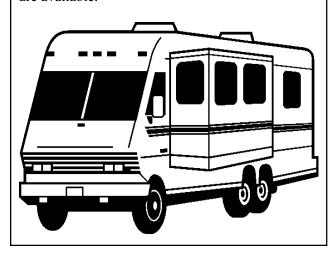
Apache Flats RV Resort, one of the finest on any military installation, opened for business in November 1998. It didn't take long for word to get out about this wonderful vacation spot. Apache Flats has become a favorite spot for Snow Birds and the 50 available spaces remained full to capacity last

The location of Apache Flats offers the perfect getaway. Nestled in the surrounding mountains of Fort Huachuca with a beautiful view of the valley, guests experience the quiet isolation of nature and yet have easy access to all the amenities Fort Huachuca has to offer; restaurants, dining, shopping etc.

The design of this RV resort is state-of-the-art. Each of the 50 spaces offers extra large concrete pads which will easily accommodate the largest RV on the road as well as pull through sites. Each space has full hook ups that include water, sewer, 50 amp electric and cable TV. A picnic table and barbecue grill is on every site too. Covered ramadas are available throughout the park offering guests a great place to gather. A Club House offers the comforts of home with a laundry facility and bathrooms/ shower, vending, vending machines, TV and even games to play on a rainy day. The registration office is on-site as well.

Planned activities are a fun part of RV Resort living. Activities offered include: potlucks, line dancing, crafts, card games, sight-seeing excursions, dinner and theater outings. Plans are currently in the works to open another club house which will help expand the present activities program. In fact, the Apache Flats RV Resort has been such a success that plans are also being made to add 50 new spaces within the next 2 years.

The Apache RV Resort is open to all MWR authorized patrons and their guests. Reservations can be made 60 days in advance by calling 533-1335 Monday-Friday 0800-1700. The maximum length of stay is 90 days. Monthly, weekly and daily rates are available.





Child and Youth Services, Fort Huachuca **Needs Assessment Survey** 

Please choose the best answer

1. Is your child enrolled in a Child and Youth Services program?

A) Yes B) No

2. Which one?

A) Family Child Care B) Center (CDC)

C) School Age Services (SAS) D) Youth Services

Child & Youth Services

3. Do you need childcare when you participate in early morning physical training (PT)?

A) Yes B) No

4. What time is you PT?

A) 5:15 a.m.

B) 5:30 a.m.

C) 5:45 a.m.

D) 6:00 a.m. E) 6:15 a.m.

F) 6:30 a.m.

5. What days?

A) Monday

B) Tuesday

C) Wednesday D) Thursday.

C) 6:00 a.m.

E) Friday

6. If you do not participate in physical training in the morning, what time do you need childcare?

7. On a regular basis how late in the day do you need childcare?

A) 4:00 p.m.

A) 5:00 a.m.

B) 4:30 p.m.

B) 5:30 a.m.

C) 5:00 p.m.

D) 5:30 p.m.

D) 6:30 a.m.

E) 6:00 p.m.

E) 7:00 a.m.

F) 7:30 a.m.

F) later

8. Army guidance states a child should not be in childcare more than 12 continuous hours.

What hours best meet your childcare needs?

A) 5:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. B) 5:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m. C) 6:00 a.m.- 6:00 p.m.

After filling out the above survey you may drop it off at several locations:

Commissary, PX, Child Development Services Bld.#48101, School Age Services Bld.#49013, and Murr Community Center Bld.#51301

## Fort Hachra Marale, Welfare & Recreation Updates

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Questions about this section should be directed to MWR Marketing Director, Paula German at 538-0836 or send an e-mail to germanp@huachuca-emh1.army.mil.



#### Carnival tickets on Sale

This year's Fun Festival, advanced carnival tickets are now on sale. The City of Fun Shows Carnival has rides for all ages and thrill levels. Now through close of business September 14, carnival goers can save \$2 per ten tickets by purchasing their tickets in advance. Advance carnival ride tickets are \$5 per sheet of ten. The price goes up to \$7 per sheet of ten at the carnival. Fort Huachuca ticket outlets are MWR Box Office, Desert Lanes, MWR Rents, La Hacienda, New Beginnings Child Development Center and in Sierra Vista at Safeway.

#### Volunteers Needed

We are gearing up for the 20th Annual Fun Festival and as you know volunteers are a vital part in making special events happen. If you would like to volunteer this year, call Karla Grosinsky at 533-2330 for information or to sign up.

## B·A·R·N·E·S

#### 2000 CC Sports Meetings

Just a reminder the Commander's Cup Sports Programs have up coming meetings in September.

The Flag Football meeting will be held at 10 a.m. on September 5, at Barnes Field House. The Road Races meeting will be held at 10 a.m. on September 7, also at Barnes Field House. For more information contact Michelle Kimsey at 533-3180.



#### Pepperoni's Start New Hours

We have new Fall hours! Starting the week of September 11, Pepperoni's will be closed on Monday and Wednesday eve-

nings.

New hours will be as follows; Monday through Friday 11 a.m. to 1p.m.; and Tuesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday 4 p.m. to 9 p.m. Then on Sunday we will be open from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. We will be closed for the Labor Day Holiday and all other holidays.



#### **Back to School Dances**

Youth Services will be holding Back to School Dances at the Youth Center. For grades 1-5, Saturday August 19, from 6-9 p.m. The cost is \$2. For grades 6-8, Saturday August 26, from 7-10 p.m. The cost is \$2. For highschool, Saturday September 2, from 8 p.m.-12 a.m. The cost is \$2. For more information please call the Youth Center at 533-3205.

#### **Soccer Registration**

Youth Soccer Registration will be held

at the Youth Center on this Saturday. Registration is from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., for any further information please call the Youth Center at 533-3205.

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#### **Paintball Tournament**

There will be a three man, Paintball Tournament on August 26th. Sign up by August 23 at a cost of \$75 per three man team. Play will start at 9 a.m. to 5 p. m. There will be prizes for 1st and 2nd place teams.



#### **Closing for Holiday**

Just a reminder that the MWR Arts and Crafts Center will be closed on Saturday, September 2, in view of the Labor Day Holiday. Any concerns please call Ricardo at 533-2015.

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gunrunner. He want's a better life, but want's it quick.

Over the course of Nick's six-month letter exchange, he told Ashley he had been a security guard at a Native American casino.

Gabriel snuck a read at the letters, found this out and devised a scheme to rob the casino. He and his trucking cohorts want Nick (but it's Rudy) to help them hit the place.

Ashley tries to play scared sister, but Rudy never buys it. He initially insists that he's not Nick, but when Gabriel threatens to kill him if he's not, he decides to play along.

The crew wants Nick to describe the hotel's layout, security system and security guard rounds. Of course, Rudy



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Left: Clarence Williams III and Gary Sinise track down their escaped hostage Ben Affleck.

Above: Afflecks escape attempt gets botched when Charlize Theron falls under icy water and he jumps in to rescue her

doesn't know any of this stuff, but he kind of makes it up as he goes along.

There are escape attempts, plot twists and intrigue, and a decent amount of action. Plus it's all pulled off rather well. Gary Sinise is evil. He's a lovely villain.

Need a bud guy? Input Gary Sinise. Ben Affleck is a conundrum though. He's a good enough actor, but I have a problem with him in this action role. He pulls it off, barely, but throughout the film I had reservations.

Fast-paced plot keeps you in the film and it tends to deliver. Some small instances where there are some insubstantial areas mar the film, but overall a good rent.

I give the film: three-and-one-quarter Reindeer.

